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PATENT Attorney Docket No. 2003P10441WOUS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Esser)		Confirmation No:	5436
580,696		Examiner:	P. Wongwian
25, 2006		Group Art Unit:	3741
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Title HIGH-TEMPERATURE-RESISTANT COMPONENT

Commissioner For Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 29, 2011, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application to place the claims in condition for allowance or to place the claims in better form for appeal. The following are provided herewith:

Amendments to the Claims, and

Remarks/Arguments.